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## RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NON-PROVISIONAL <u>APPLICATION</u>

Sir:

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Non-Provisional Application mailed May 7, 2002, Applicants respectfully submit the following:

1. A Check in the amount of \$130.00 covering the surcharge for filing the declaration;

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- 2. A Copy of the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application, Filing Date Granted;
- 3. A Combined Declaration/Power of Attorney executed by the inventors.

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Authorization is hereby given to charge our Deposit Account No. 08-2461 for any additional fees and to credit the account for any overpayment. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed for that purpose.

If the Office has any questions concerning this application, it is respectfully requested that an authorized official contact the undersigned by telephone at the number given below.

Respectfully submitted,

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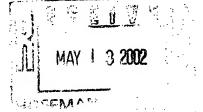
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# NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)

The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as an Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495):

- U.S. Basic National Fees
- Priority Document
- Copy of IPE Report
- · Copy of references cited in ISR
- Copy of the International Application
- Copy of the International Search Report
- Preliminary Amendments

The following items **MUST** be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date.
- \$130 Surcharge for providing the oath or declaration later than the appropriate 30 months months from the priority date (37 CFR 1.492(e)) is required.

ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN TWO (2) MONTH FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY 22 or 32 MONTHS (where 37 CFR 1.495 applies) FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDONMENT.

The time period set above may be extended by filing a petition and fee for extension of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

Total additional fees required for this application is \$130 for a Large Entity:

• \$130 Late oath or declaration Surcharge.

Applicant is reminded that any communications to the United States Patent and Trademark Office must be mailed to the address given in the heading and include the U.S. application no. shown above (37 CFR 1.5)

A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the response.

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